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Sent: Thur 7/3/2008 3:26:33 PM Subject: Re: CSTAG review of Passaic

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Thanks

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To James Woolford/DC/USEPA/US@EPA
cc George Pavlou/R2/USEPA/US@EPA
Subject Re: CSTAG review of Passaic

Jim, sorry we have not gotten back to you yet. I believe George is out today as am I. We have discussed your message and are still figuring out the best path forward given the complexity of the events and schedule leading up to the Remedy Review Board Meeting. Are you available to discuss next Monday or Tuesday?

p.s. I spoke to Steve Ells yesterday and filled him in on where we are, he said he would brief you before he left for vacation. Talk to you next week, Enjoy the 4th.

-----James Woolford/DC/USEPA/US wrote: -----

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Subject: CSTAG review of Passaic

George and Ray:

Have not seen a reply to email from last week, so I'll assume you are OK with the path I outlined.

We are looking at doing a CSTAG review in August after you incorporate the comments from your peer reviewers into the model. It would help us/CSTAG if we could get a copy of those comments when you

get them.

Have a good Fourth.

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Message from 6/26

George and Ray:

Just want to follow-up on our previous conversations about the CSTAG review. I have confirmed with Susan that she wants the CSTAG to perform an additional review of the latest site data and the information that will come out of both the peer review report of the CSM-EMB model and the HydroQual report that used their Sediment Transport Model to evaluate the assumptions that formed the basis of the CSM-EMB model and its predictions.

We are aware that timing is an issue. We feel that this review needs to occur before the NRRB meeting so the ensuing CSTAG recommendations can be considered by the NRRB. Based on our understanding of the peer review schedules, it looks like the CSTAG review should take place in late August.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns about this.

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